

GREAT PIANO SALE

Now in Progress at Pfeiffer's, 1328 F Street.

Rare Bargains Being Gathered in by Wise Buyers.

Pianos of Celebrated Makes Sold at Trifling Figures.

\$109, \$118, \$137 and Upward for Pianos Worth Several Times Those Prices.

A remarkable sale of new and slightly used Pianos of various celebrated makes was started this morning at Pfeiffer's Piano House, 1328 F Street. It is made necessary by the overcrowded condition of their warehouses. Stacks of Pianos which should have been here on sale before the holidays were delayed in transit, and have been unloaded all at once, fairly packing their big warehouses.

Among the instruments to be sold are such names as Hazelton, Weber, Knabe, Vose, Kroeger and Price & Teeple, and the prices tagged are so absurdly low that they will be snapped up in a hurry.

Fine mahogany case uprights worth from \$300 to \$600; in some cases only slightly scratched or used a little, are marked for \$109 and upward.

Time payments will be accepted and every instrument is fully warranted to be exactly as represented.

The chance of a life time to get a really fine Piano for almost nothing.

Open Evenings.

Pfeiffer
1328 F St.

Smoot, Coffey & McCalley,
1216 F St. 'Phone 725.

NEW WASH GOODS.

—The Choicest Imported & Domestic Novelties in White and Printed Goods.

THE early arrivals of new 1906 styles in every desirable kind of wash goods await your viewing now. A superb collection, offering you a choice of the best qualities and most exclusive styles from foremost foreign and domestic makers.

White Irish Linen, 36 inches wide. Special, per yard..... **25c.**

—New and exclusive figured and striped effects in Fine White Madras for waists. Special, per yard..... **18c.**

—Fine White Embroidered Swiss in choice figured patterns. Special at 50c., 75c. and \$1 a yard.

—New Printed Mousseline de Soie; choice colorings and exclusive patterns. Special, 25c. per yard.....

—Fine Imported Irish Dimities—printed in new and pretty patterns. Special, 25c. per yard.....

—A big variety of dainty and pretty styles in Imported Printed Organzies. Special, per yard..... **37½c.**

—New Imported Mercerized Batiste, 45 inches wide. Special at 37½c., 50c. and 75c. yard.

Smoot, Coffey & McCalley
1216 F Street.

ARCHITECTS TO MEET

OPENING SESSIONS OF AMERICAN INSTITUTE TOMORROW.

Arrangements have been completed for the adjourned sessions of the thirty-ninth annual convention of the American Institute of Architects, to commence at the New Willard Hotel tomorrow and remain in session three days. The society is composed of representatives of the various art centers of the world.

There was a meeting of the directors in the Octagon House this morning, at which routine business was conducted and the final preparations for the sessions completed.

The order of business for tomorrow will be the registration of delegates, appointment of committees, reports of committees and addresses by Commissioner Macfarland and William S. Eames, president of the institute. A banquet at the hotel will close the day's work.

At the session of the institute on Wednesday morning there will be reports from the committee on municipal improvements by Frank Miles Day, chairman. Illustrated papers have been prepared by Eugene Henard on "The Artistic Development of Paris," "Improvement of the Schuylkill River Banks," by C. C. Zantinger; "Municipal Improvements in the Borough of Brooklyn, New York City," by E. C. D. Litchfield.

Tomorrow evening there will be a banquet in the hall of the New Willard. The officers of the association are W. S. Eames, president; Alfred Stone, first vice president; Cass Gilbert, second vice president, and Glenn Brown, secretary and treasurer. The committee on arrangements is William S. Eames, Glenn Brown, Frank D. Millet, William A. Boring and Leon E. Dessez.

Wednesday's Program.

On Wednesday morning the session will be devoted to Report of committee on municipal improvements, Frank Miles Day, chairman; papers (illustrated by lantern slides) "The Artistic Development of Paris," by Mr. Eugene Henard; "Improvement of the Schuylkill River Banks," by C. C. Zantinger; "Municipal Improvements in the Borough of Brooklyn, New York City," by E. C. D. Litchfield.

The afternoon session at 2 o'clock: 1. report of special committees not finished at last session; 2. action on proposed amendments to by-laws; 3. unfinished business of the previous day; 4. there will be a reception at the Aetagon from 4 to 6 p.m.

The evening session, 8 o'clock, cavalcade to the Metropolitan Hotel, where the "Development of Manila" illustrated by D. H. Burnham, at 8 o'clock p.m. In the hall of the National Geographic Society, corner 16th and M streets northwest, to which the public will be invited.

The Thursday morning session will be devoted to reports of the committees appointed at the first session and the continuing on the president's address, on the recommendations contained in the report of the board of directors, on the report of chapters on the standing committees' reports, unfinished business, miscellaneous business.

The afternoon session, 1 o'clock, cavalcade to Fort Myer, Va. Parties who wish to see this novel equestrian performance must take green cars on Pennsylvania avenue to Georgetown and return by the bridge. The railway company will provide extra cars at this hour. At Georgetown walk across the Aqueduct bridge and take special cars to Fort Myer. The drill will commence promptly at 2:30 p.m.

FUNERAL TOMORROW.

Last Rites Over the Remains of George F. Thompson.

The funeral of George F. Thompson, late editor of the bureau of animal industry, Department of Agriculture, whose death was announced in the Sunday Star, will take place tomorrow afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Metropolitan Baptist Church, 8th and A streets northeast. The pallbearers selected to serve are Messrs. Roberts, Carroll, Latelle, Bryant, Allier and Lyon.

It is probable that Rev. J. Compton Ball, pastor of Metropolitan Church, will officiate. A delegation of employees of the Agricultural Department has arranged to attend the obsequies. Suitable resolutions have been drawn up by Mr. Thompson's former associates, expressing their regret at his untimely death, and arrangements have been made to place on his bier several handsome floral pieces from the bureau of animal industry and other branches of the department.

FOOT BALL IN THE FAR WEST.

Reasons for Desiring a Change in Conditions.

BERKELEY, January 8.—George C. Edwards, Harry Beal Torrey and A. W. Whitney, the three professors on the athletic committee of the University of California, have issued a statement setting forth their reasons for desiring a change in foot ball conditions on the Pacific coast. The professors say: "From being a pastime foot ball has become a vocation, followed a short period each season by players and bleachers."

The committee closes its report by embodying the recommendations passed by the conference recently held at the University Club, recommending that intercollegiate foot ball contests should no longer be held under the regulations of the present foot ball rules committee, and recommending as a substitute the present English Rugby game, or else the present American game, with such modifications as should promise to eliminate existing evils.

FORMER SUITOR'S CASE.

To Be Prosecuted for Alleged Murder at Norfolk.

NORFOLK, Va., January 8.—A noble prospect was entered today in the case of James Franklin, former suitor of Miss Sarah Atkinson, arrested as an accessory with Dr. L. R. Chiles, indicted for the second degree murder of Miss Atkinson, whose death followed an alleged criminal operation. Franklin, however, was held under a bond of \$1,500 for reindictment by the February grand jury, the commonwealth deciding that the prisoner should be indicted as an accessory to the alleged murder of Miss Atkinson, instead of as an accessory only to the performance of the alleged criminal operation. Franklin was released.

The case of Dr. Chiles is set for trial January 15. The Atkinson family has employed private counsel to assist in the prosecution of Dr. Chiles and young Franklin.

Bonaparte at Norfolk.

NORFOLK, Va., January 8.—The United States dispatch boat Dolphin, bearing Secretary of the Navy Bonaparte, from Baltimore, arrived in Lynnhaven bay today and Secretary Bonaparte at once transferred to the cruiser Charleston, upon which he is to go to Charleston, S. C., to attend the ceremonies of the dedication of the presentation of a silver service to the cruiser by the citizens of Charleston. The cruiser will pass out the Virginia capes early this afternoon for Charleston.

Promising Harvard Runner.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE STAR.
CAMBRIDGE, January 8.—L. P. Dodge, the crack young Harvard runner, will not don the crimson jersey next spring. He has been compelled to go south for his health, and if he comes back to Cambridge in the spring term will not be able to get into running at all. Last year he entered Harvard as a freshman and made his "H" in two events before the year was over. He took third place in the 100 and second in the 220-yard in the dual for the Yale. He closely followed the captain, W. A. Schick, who took nearly everything he went into during his college career.

Sues for Divorce.

Matilda Armstead, through Attorney F. Peyton, today filed suit for divorce against Isaac Armstead. A co-respondent is named.

Interest in art contest grows daily.

We are going to have a better exhibition than last year. Plenty of time if you go to work now. You may as well win the big prize. The prize list amounts to \$100.00 in cash. Get your entry card NOW at Art Department.

Don't let the cold wave catch you unprepared.

Big reductions on warm coats.

\$5 and \$6 coats reduced to \$3.98

These are good grade Covert Coats, in prevailing styles. Not many—but they are sacrificed to make room for other garments.

\$12.50 and \$15 coats reduced to \$7.50

Excellent grade Kersey Coats and Scotch-mixed Coats in up-to-date styles. About 50 coats in this lot and a good range of colors.

\$18 and \$20 coats reduced to \$10.00

Handsome Kersey Coats, in loose and half-fitted models; satin lined. A number of Tourist Coats are also included in the prevailing gray mixtures.



Sale of Nemo corsets worth \$2.00 for \$1.00.

A feature of our January undermuslin sale.

The makers of the "Nemo" Corset each year make up a corset, using the same material as is found in their \$2.00 models—and offer it at a dollar. Only one store in a city is supplied with these corsets. WE SECURED THESE FOR WASHINGTON WOMEN—and they cannot be had elsewhere. The coutil used is the best to be found. The style is a good one. Very pretty, wide lace, with ribbon run through, is used as a trimming. See this corset while attending our Undermuslin Sale tomorrow.

Gowns.

MUSLIN Gowns, choice of two styles, high and "V" neck, finished at neck and sleeves with ruffle. Sale price..... **29c.**

MUSLIN Gowns with yokes of Val lace and pin tucks, finished at neck and sleeves with ruffle. Sale price..... **39c.**

5 STYLES Muslin Gowns, round, high and neck, trimmed in embroidery, cotton tuck and lace. Sale price..... **44c.**

15 STYLES Muslin and Cambric Gowns, high, round, square and "V" necks; yokes of embroidery or Val lace; long and short sleeves. Sale price..... **79c.**

8 STYLES Nainsook Gowns, square and round necks; yokes of embroidery or Val lace; long and short sleeves. Sale price..... **\$1.19**

11 STYLES of Sheer Nainsook Gowns that are lavishly trimmed with exquisite embroidery and lace; long and short sleeves. Sale price..... **\$1.79**

Drawers.

2 STYLES Muslin Drawers, one plain with tucks, the other finished with ruffle. Choice, sale price..... **13c.**

5 STYLES Cambric and Muslin Drawers, with deep umbrella ruffles, finished with lace or embroidery. Sale price..... **21c.**

10 STYLES Cambric and Nainsook Drawers, practically trimmed with rows of Val, inserting or deep embroidery ruffle; wide heading run with ribbon. Sale price..... **79c.**

6 STYLES Nainsook Drawers, trimmed in Val lace inserting, tucks, or with deep embroidery ruffle, finished with heading and ribbon b.o.w. Sale price..... **\$1.19**

6 STYLES Muslin, Cambric and Nainsook Drawers, with deep umbrella ruffles, trimmed in cotton or Val lace; French bands. Sale price..... **39c.**

Corset Covers.

CAMBRIC Corset Covers, high and square neck, felled seams; fitted back. Sizes 34 to 44. Sale price..... **9c.**

NAINSOOK Corset Covers, cut round, front gathered to form blouse, finished with pearl buttons. Sale price..... **13c.**

10 STYLES Nainsook and Cambric Corset Covers, round, high and neck, trimmed in cotton tuck and lace or embroidery; some light fitting; others full gathered at the waist. Sale price..... **21c.**

10 STYLES Nainsook Corset Covers, trimmed in Val lace inserting and edge, also with embroidery, heading and ribbon; some Black Lawn Corset Covers, lace trimmed. Sale price, choice..... **39c.**

12 STYLES Sheer Nainsook Corset Covers, round and square necks, full or tight fitting; yokes of real pretty lace or embroidery, finished with heading and ribbon. Sale price, choice..... **79c.**

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Long petticoats

MUSLIN Petticoats with deep umbrella ruffle, finished with small ruffle, deep hem and French band. Sale price..... **39c.**

Muslin Petticoats with umbrella ruffle and fine tucks. Sale price..... **44c.**

2 STYLES Muslin Petticoats with umbrella ruffle trimmed in embroidery or lace. Sale price..... **63c.**

10 STYLES Muslin Petticoats made of extra quality material, deep umbrella ruffle trimmed in 2 and 4 rows cotton tuck inserting and lace edge or with fine embroidery. Sale price..... **79c.**

4 STYLES Muslin Petticoats with deep umbrella ruffle, diagonal rows of lace inserting form a pleasing trimming; some have deep embroidery or lace ruffle. Sale price..... **\$1.39**

This is how silks and velvets are reduced.

Thousands and thousands of yards of Silks, bright, clean and fresh—the best styles and shades the world's markets afford—reduced to the limit—rock-bottom. Of many kinds we have but one or two pieces of the same pattern. Prices only are designated below. Lay aside everything for THIS SILK SALE.

\$3.00 White Faconne Moire Antique (22 in.) yard, **\$1.29**

\$4.00 Heavy White Satin Crepe (44 in.) yard, **\$2.69**

\$1.00 Plaid Taffetas and Loulaines (21 in.) yard, **69c.**

\$1.25 Broche Printed Satin Liberty (24 in.) yard, **79c.**

75c. Black All-silk Beau de Soie, yard, **59c.**

\$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50 Novelty Silks, yard, **69c.**

Silk Chiffon Velvets, that cost \$1.30 yard to weave, at, **89c.**

\$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 and \$2 Fancy Velvets, yard, **49c.**

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